

### CONCLUSION

The rejections of record have been shown to be in error. If the Examiner, after review of this amendment and response believes that some discussion or further amending of the application can advance the prosecution of this application, the Examiner is courteously invited to call the attorney below at **952.832.9090**, in the Central Time Zone, between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

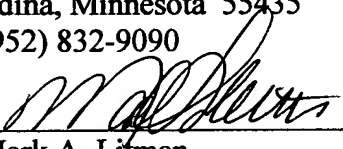
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